## Palais Royal,

A failure today because of the weather, but the Palais Royal's Eighteenth Annual Spring "Opening" shall be quoted the grandest success of eighteen years. The stocks are larger and more complete than ever before, the store looks better than ever before and the complimentary prices made as souvenirs of the "Opening" are more generous than ever before. Your presence requested tomorrow, with the promise of all the attractions told of in yesterday's Post and Saturday's Star.

## Dress Goods Department.

The list below gives the regular and complimentary prices:

480 yd. Linen Batiste, satin stripes
25c yd. Plain Linen Batiste, all linen19c
374c yd. French Organdies, 1896 novelties 33c
25c yd. Silk and Wool Challies
Lie yd. Duck, navy blue, fast color
12% yd. Dimities
10c yd. Percaies, newest. Fast colors
9c yd. Lustral, the rew wash fabric
50c yd. Best French Haircloth Lining39c
20c yd. Best Rustie Percaline Lining16c
Loc yo. Desi Rustie Percande Linning
16c Percele for 12c, and 121/2c Percaline9c
12½c Sellria, all shades9c
12½c Selbria, all shades

cents secures choice of the Silk Stripe Persian Suitings, the Silk and Wool Mixtures and the 45-inch Shepherd Checks. Though sold here regularly at 75c and 85c a yard they have all the appearance of \$1

80 cents for the \$1 English Tailor Suitings will be another popular complimentary price. Every one knows these 54-inch wide fabrics are as staple at \$1 a yard as are \$1 United States treasury notes.

43 cents for the 50-cent Suitings will be a price gladly profited by when the superior quality and great variety is learned of. To choose from are novelty plaids, checks, mixtures and plain mohairs and cheviots ad infinitum.

89 cents for the \$1 Taffeta Silks means choice of all the latest designs and colorings in Dresden and Persian effects, among which are warp printed silks, guaranteed identical to those usually sold at \$1.68 yd.

10 per cent off the prices of all Black Wool and Silk Fabrics means a choice of \$20,000 worth of dress goods, some of which are hinted

90c yard tomorrow for any of the \$1 Silks.	
Should the piece selected split or crock within six	1
months of purchase a new piece will be promptly	1
furnished, with proper apology.	1
23-inch Gros Grain Brocade90c	1
23-inch Black Satin Brocades	
24-inch Black Faile Francaise	1
27-inch Extra Quality Surah90c	1
22-inch Black Peau de Sole90c	1
23-inch Black Royal Armure90c	1
23-inch Black Bengaline Silk	1
24-Inch Gros Grain Silks90c	1
22 Inch Black Satin Bhadame Gre	1 ,

Trimming Department. 50c yard Best Spangle Trimming, all colors ..... 42c yard Spangle Trimming, one row.......12c

\$1.50 Jet Yokes, worth up to \$2.....\$1.25 \$1 each Battons, jewel and fancy......SDe 38c each Buttom, jet, metal, fancy......33c 10 per cent off all Embroideries. e, 50c and 75c yard Persian Ribbons...... 25c yard Persian Ribbons, second quality.....24c 25c yard Black Double-free Satin Ribbons....25c 12c pair Dress Shields, all styles......8c

5e yard Mohair Cord Skirt Binding......3c 

Millinery Department. \$1.50 Untrimmed Hats, all new styles. \$1.35 50c Untrimmed Hats, the new styles. 42: 48c Flowers, choice of all kinds......42c 25c Flowers. Nonc excepted......19c

Suit and Wrap Dept.

\$6.98 Separate Skirts, cloth and serge ......\$5.98 \$1.49 Gloria Slik Umbrellas, men's and ladies' .98c \$1.48 Shirt Waist, grass linen and others.....\$1.25 \$5.98 Spring Jackets, tan cloth . . . . \$4.98 \$5 Spring Jackets, black cloth . . . . . \$3.98 \$20 Imported Jackets, French and English ..... \$18 \$10.98 Cashmere Tea Gown, very elaborate....\$9.98 \$1.69 Novelty Wrappers of Imported gingbam.\$1.49 

Underwear Depts. \$1 & \$1.25 Cotton and Cambric Undergarments.87c \$1.98 Black Moreen Skirts......\$1.79 the Swiss Ribbed Vests, spring weight.......13c 25c Swiss Ribbed Vests, extra finish......19c 35c Swiss Ribbed Vests and Pants..... Silk Waists, all colors, lace trimmed ..... 49c

\$2.75 French Gore Corsets, all whalebone...\$2.49 \$1.25 "Palais Royal" Corsets, 1896 improved..\$1.10 75c Coutil Corsets, extra long, six books......49c 'Children's Department. \$2.68 Infants' New Long Cashmere Coats....\$1.98 \$1.98 Cloth Reefers, sizes 2 to 6 years......\$1.68 \$1.50 Dimity Dresses, 3 to 9 years......\$1.24 \$1 Caps and Hats, all styles......89c Kindergarten Mat and three skeins Sewing Silk. 12c 48c Books for children of all ages......39c 15e Picture Books, all kinds......11c

Men's Department.

25c Fast Black Hose, all sizes......18c 55c Ribbed Balbriggan Vests and Pants....25c 45c Shirt Waists for boys.......39c

\$1 Medium-weight Natural Wool Garments.... 79c 50c Ribbed Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers ..... 44c 50e Night Shirts, fast color trimming......4ic 50c Imported Half Hose, spring styles......35c 50c Suspenders, latest and best ..... .44c \$1 Dogskin Gloves, warrented......Sic 

Note that one-tenth is deducted from the prices quoted below and be informed that samples from quoted below and be informed that samples from leading establishments will prove that Palals Royal regular prices are less than prevailing.

48-inch Black Crepon Gauzes....\$3, \$3.50, \$4 yard 48-inch Silk and Wool Crepons...\$3, \$3.50, \$4 yard 15 styles 48-inch Crepon Caniche....\$2 yard 5 styles 48-inch Satin Stripe Crepons...\$2 yard 2 styles 48-inch Satin Stripe Crepons...\$2 yard 3 styles 45-inch Plisse Crepons......\$2 yard 5 styles 45-inch Chiffon Crepons ...... \$2 yard pons . . . . . . . . . . . . . 10 styles Brocade Effect Crepons......\$2 yard

Fancy Goods Depts.

\$1.50 "Palais Royal" Kid Gloves, all styles. .\$1.83 \$1 Kid Gloves, warranted, tried on.......84 \$1.25 Jewelry. All latest novelties...........95c 10c Tetlow's Swansdewn Face Powder........6c

Parasol Department.

\$15 Paris Novelty Parasols, all kinds...... \$5.68 Dresden and Black Brocade Parasols ... \$1.98 \$2.98 White, Mourning and Dresden Parasols. .\$2.68 \$2.68 Ombre Stripe Silk Parasols......\$2.48 \$2.25 Silk Parasols, all styles.....\$1.98 \$2 Carriage Shades, all styles.......\$1.89 \$3.98 Silk Umbrellas, steel rod,imported sticks.\$3.79 \$2.98 Silk Umbrellas, men's, silver trimmed

Housefurnishings.

25c Huck Towels, 20x42 inches......18c 1214c Linen Huck Towels, 36 inches......11c Cape \$2.79 | 15c Crash, best quality, all linen. 12%c \$1.98 Lodies Mackintoshes, with 24-inch capes.\$1.79 | \$1.50 Silkoline Comfortables, cotton filled ...\$1.29 \$15 Carlsbad China Dinner Set, 100 pieces...\$11.48 \$12.95 Dinner and Tea Set, 112 pleces. . . . . . \$9.95 35c China Sugar and Cream Set......24c \$2.75 Decorated Chamber Set, 10 pieces....\$1.97 29c Hanging Match Box, Dresden China......19c 29c Individual Butters, real cut glass..........22c 50c Bress Bird Cages, with fittings......39 25c Family Scales, guaranteed accurate.....19c \$1.98 Improved "Crown Jewel" Carpet Sweeper. \$1.49 \$2 Gas Stoves, with two double burners.....\$1.48 79c Star Oil Stoves, two wicks..................59c \$1.39 pair Lace Curtains, 60 inches wide......98 \$2.25 Rockers, with improved cobbler sent .... \$1.69 10c yard Figured Silkoline, 36 inches wide .... 71/2c

Hosiery Department.

25c Fast Black and Russet Hose......19c 

 35c Fast Black Hose, medium and light
 27c

 49c Black and Russet Lisle Hose
 39c

 50c Imported Novelty Hose, new effects
 43c

 50c Boys' Heavy English Ribbed Hose ........... 35c

Stationery Department

19c pound Writing Paper, 100 sheets......14c 15c Novels. Publisher's price, 50c.......12½c
20 per cent off Bibles, Prayer Books, Hymnals.

Art Department.

19c Collar and Cuff Bags, stamped.................15c 20c Stamped Bureau Scarfs, 72 inches......16c

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Wilmarth & Edmonston, 1205 Pa. Avenue.

All the Good Coffee Pots

> 38c. and up. The "Marion Harland" Coffee

90c. and up. Then there is the Russian Pot, the French Balance, the Vienna, the French Biggin in china and

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"Your credit is good"— Your credit is good"-Your credit is good"-Your credit is good"— Your credit is good"-"Your credit is good"— "Your credit is good"— Your credit is good"-

> we couldn't mean it any more sincerely. We want you to take it as a personal invitation to yourself to come in here and buy just whatever the home needsand make the payments in times and amounts to suit.

BARGAINS - All the stock that was left when we moved is still at the old stores. You can pick it over up there-at your own prices. What remains after a few days we shall "give away" at auction. Notice of it later.

House & Herrmann's. N.E. COR. 7TH AND I STS. N.W.

Bay Rum by the barrel.

10 styles Mobair and Wool Crepons......\$2 yard | 1142 Conn. Ave. 'Phone 1623.

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Just such beautiful Easter Cards. baskets, eggs, and novelties as you would expect such a store as this to merit as to finish, fit and style, the sell, are here. Easter cards by the extreme low prices a secondary concelebrated American and foreign publishers, with appropriate verses, &c. Easter Booklets from 3c. to \$1. C. C. PURSELL, 418 9th st.

We shall ask reduced prices for ladies' tailoring from now till Easter. We shall do it to more thoroughly introduce the superiority of our costumes. It will pay us in the end.

OWEN, tailor for men and women,

That mashed piece of choice china or cut glass will be as serviceable and as sightly as new after we've riveted the parts together. All sorts of articles substantially and satisfactorily mended. Work called for and delivered anywhere.

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on OUR EMULSION of COD LIVER OIL. It fills out hollow cheeks. Makes pale, sallow skin fresh and rosy. Builds up and atrengthens the entire system—the brain as well as the body. It's a food and a tonic, that's digested by the weakest stomach. Entirely free from disagreeable odor or taste. Even children rendily take it. 1-pint bottles, 35c.

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sizes in each shoe. We fit them. and Children's "LITTLE ROCKS." Tan Little Rocks, 75c. up.

Langlois,

BRIGHT SUNSHINE IS WHAT TEMPTS SHOPPERS AND MAKES A MERRY, BUSTLING
CROWD-LADIES ARE ALWAYS ANXIOUS TO
SEE WHAT DAME FASHION HAS DESIGNED
FOR THEIR APPROVAL, AND WHEN SUCH
GRAND AND EXCLUSIVE STYLES ARE DISPLAYED, SUCH AS SHOWN IN OUR MILLINERY
DEPARTMENT, IT'S A PITY THAT A WEEPING
SKY SHOULD INTERFERE WITH SUCH AN OCCASION.

Inclement Weather

Was not exactly fitted for our

SPRING

Millinery & Cloak

Opening.

CASION.

ONE CONSOLATION FOR THE PUBLIC, AND THAT IS WE CAN EXTEND THE ANNOUNCEMENT UNTIL THE WEATHER PLAYS IN OUR FAVOR. IN THE MEATIME THESE OPENING SOUVENIRS CONTINUE TO BE IN FORCE.

Millinery Souvenirs. ROSE BOUQUETS, WITH FOLIAGE AND FLOCKED STEMS. WORTH 19c. Opening Day Price, 5c. PLAIN WHITE AND BLACK. ALSO FANCY TUB AIGRETTES, IN PERSIAN AND DRES-DEN EFFECTS. WORTH 25c.

Opening Day Price, 8c.
LILAC BUNCHES, WITH FOLIAGE, THREE
ARGE SPRAYS, YELLOW, BLUE, WHITE AND
VELLOTROPE. WORTH 50c. Opening Day Price, 25c. FINE IMPORTED FLOWERS, LARGE BUNCH-S, SILK AND VELVET, WITH FINE FOLIAGE ND RUBBER STEMS. IMPORTED TO SELL

Opening Day Price, 49c.

Opening Day Price, 49c. FINE IMPORTED LACE STRAWS, IN ALL SHAPES, SMALL AND LARGE. WORTH \$1.50. Opening Day Price, 98c.

ORTED AND DOMESTIC RIBBONS Silk Dept. Souvenirs. GENUINE KAI KAI WASH SILKS. WORTH Opening Day Price, 16c.
22-INCH ALL-SILK BLACK CHINA. WORTH
B. A YARD.

Opening Day Price, 25c. EEST QUALITY WHITE HABUTAI WASH ILK. ONLY A LIMITED QUANTITY. WORTH be. A YARD. Opening Day Price, 27c. 25-INCH FINEST QUALITY OF PRINTED WARP NDIA SILKS, IN ALL THE NEWEST DESIGNS, INISHED THE SAME AS THE PRINTED WARP AFFETAS, DAINTY TINTED COLORINGS, AS VELL AS STAPLE SHADES. WORTH 59c. A

Opening Day Price, 39c. BLACK FIGURED AND BROCADE TAFFETA ILKS FOR SUITS, SEPARATE SKHETS OR AFES, THE GREATEST VALUE WE'VE OFFER-D YOU YET. WORTH OSC. A YARD.

Opening Day Price, 49c. 24-INCH EXTRA QUALITY DOUBLE-WARP ALL-SH.K BLACK SURAH, WORTH 69c. A

Opening Day Price, 49c. Opening Day Price, 50c.

22-INCH FINE QUALITY ALL-SILK BLACK
PFAU DE SOI, FOR CAPES. WORTH \$1.19. Opening Day Price, 89c. yd HANDSOME NEW DESIGNS IN BLACK SATIN BROCADES FOR SKIRTS. WORTH \$1.19

Opening Day Price, 8oc.
ELACK SATIN DUCHESSE, 25 INCHES WIDE,
EXTRA WEIGHT, FOR SKRITS, GOWNS OR
PAPES. WORTH \$1.50 A YARD. Opening Day Price, 98c.

Our Opening

Of Imported and Domestic Capes, Suits and Separate Skirts has created many well-meant comments. Admired by all and bought by many, every garment standing upon its own sideration. LADIES' BLACK FIGURED MOHAIR SKIRTS, LINED THROUGHOUT, FOUR YARDS WIDE. WORTH \$2.50.

\$1.49.

LADIES' BLACK FIGURED MOHAIR SKIRTS,
LINED THROUGHOUT, FOUR YARDS WIDE,
BOUND WITH VELVET. WORTH \$3.50. \$1.95. LADIES' BLACK FIGURED MOHAIR SKIRTS, RUSTLE LINED. REGULAR \$4.50 GRADE.

\$2.98. LADIES' BLACK SERGE AND TAN STRIPED SKIRTS, ALL LINED, VELVET BOUND, FIVE YARDS WIDE. WORTH \$5.50. \$3.98.

BLACK CREPON AND TAN COVERT CLOTH AND FIGURED MOHAIR SKIRTS, PERCALINE LINED. WORTH \$7.50.

\$5.00. BLACK SILK MIXED CREPONS, WIDE WALES
AND EXTRA WIDTH SKIRTS. WORTH \$12.

\$7.50.

BLACK FIGURED SILK, PLAIN AND BROCADE SATIN SKIRTS, LINED AND INTERLINED, VELVET FACED, SIX YARDS WIDE. \$15 VALUE. \$9.98.

BLACK FIGURED SILK CAPES, RIBBON NECK,
FULL SWEEP. \$4.50 VALUE. \$2.98.

BLACK FIGURED SILK CAPES, SATIN RUCHING, FANCY LINING. \$5.50 VALUE. \$3.98.

BLACK VELVET AND REPP SILK CAPES, IN NEW EFFECTS. \$7.50 VALUE.

\$5.00.

BLACK VELVET CAPES, JET EMBROIDERED, EXTRA FULL WIDTH. \$12.50 VALUE. \$7.50. Embroidery and Laces. 40 PIECES OF WIDE, SHOWY, WELL-MADE CAMBRIC EDGINGS, CUT OUT READY FOR USE. 0c. VALUE. Opening Day Price, 61/2c. yd.

50 PIECES OF FINE CAMBRIC GUIPURE AND CUT OUT EDGINGS, LARGE ASSORTMENT OF PATTERNS, WIDE MARGIN, 15c. VALUE. Opening Day Price, 9½c. yd. 7 AND 8-INCH BLACK SILK CHANTILLY LACEN, 35c. VALUE. Opening Day Price, 22c. 7-INCH WHITE AND BUTTER NET TOP LACES.

Opening Day Price, 15c. 10-INCH WHITE AND BETTER NET TOP Opening Day Price, 21c. 8-INCH BUTTER COLOR LIERRE LACES. 50c. Opening Day Price, 30c.

Muslin Dept: Souvenirs. 8c. RHODE ISLAND, YARD-WIDE, BLEACHED MUSLIN. OPENING DAY PRICE, 4%c. 10c. IRWIN, YARD-WIDE, BLEACHED MUSLIN. EXTRA FINE. OPENING DAY PRICE, 6%c.

10c. BERKLEY CAMBRIC, YARD-WIDE.
OPENING DAY PRICE, 7%c.
FIRST FLOOR, CENTER AISLE.

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worth-put facts in plain language—and the result is we have your confidence. eny \$4 shoes sold in the country. 90

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That "Partridge" Hams are the sweetest, mildest, most delicious Hams we've ever handled. That's pretty high praise, but we honestly do think "Partridge" Hams give better satisfaction than any other. They're never salty—and have but little waste.

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COur unique posings elicit the warmest

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per cent

-of our regular prices makes them nearly 25 per cent less than others'. Only till April 1st.
Our \$4.75 Trunks for \$4.04.
Our \$5.75 Trunks for \$4.89.
Our \$5.00 Dress Suit Case for \$4.25.
Our \$1.00 Alligator Bags for 85c.
Trunk Strap free with every trunk, and name marked on it free. (Kneessi, 425 7th Street.

The Eye

Is the most delicate of all the physical organs-and for that reason no one can afford to experiment with glasses that may cause irreparable injury to the sight.

See Our Tulips!

A. Gude & Bro., 1224 F St. EASTER GOWNS. Time to think of them. Send us the one you wore last year. We'll clean it—do it up—and make it as fresh and dainty as new without

The Best Quality 85c. Tapestry Carpet.

A glance will disclose its superiority. And at the same time you'll observe the prettiness and originality of the patterns, and the exquisite harmony of the colorings. 50c. is the new price.

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Apples at 5c. a pound!! We are closing out all the dried frults we have on hand. This accounts for the remarkable prices quoted above. All extra choice goods.

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Ladies' BICYCLE HATS.

at a full dress reception in a street dress. We keep all the correct styles. B. Stinemetz and Son.

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THE WORLD OF SOCIETY

Dinners and Teas With Pleasant Memo-

A Chevy Chase Hospitality-A Wash ington Belle to Marry a California Millionaire-Personals.

The Chevy Chase Club again entertained at a tea Saturday, which was the largest and most successful of the series. The hostesses were Mrs. G. Lathrop Bradley and Mrs. Hammond and Mrs. Alex. Legare and Miss Boardman did the honors of the tea tables. The fencing contingent of the club gave an exhibition of their skill. A very interesting exhibition between Prof. Darrialat and Mr. Cabot Lodge, jr., was followed by a clever bit of foll work by the professor and Mr. Richmond Stone, and a contest with broadswords, in which Mr Henry M. Earle and Mr. Stone took part. Dancing followed and was largely enjoyed. The pleasant announcement was made that the hunt ball will be held Easter Wednes-

Senator and Mrs. Sherman entertained at dinner Saturday night the British ambassa-dor and Lady Pauncefote, the German am-bassador and Baroness von Thielman, the Chilean minister and Mrs. Gana, the Guaemalan minister and Mrs. Lazo de Arriaga the Japanese minister, Mrs. Grant, Senator and Mrs. Elkins, General and Mrs. Miles, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Henderson and Senator

Representative and Mrs. Draper enter tained at dinner Saturday night Secretary and Mrs. Carlisle, Justice and Mrs. White, Speaker and Mrs. Reed, Representative and Mrs. Wadsworth, Representative Boutelle, Mrs. Goddard, Mrs. Stanley Matthews, Miss Patten, Miss Aileen O'Donnell, Mr. Jules Boeufve and Mr. Montgomery Blair.

Mrs. Somors gave a lumber Saturday to

Mrs. Somers gave a luncheon Saturday in honor of Mrs. Dulles and Mrs. Lansing, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Foster. The ladies sat about small tables, and be-The ladies sat about small tables, and between courses changed from one to another. The other guests were Miss Morton, Mrs. Vilas, Mrs. Burrows, Miss Voorhees, Mrs. Squire, Mrs. Radcliffe, Mrs. Bell, Mrs. Sternberg, Mrs. John W. Foster, Mrs. W. Baldwin, Mrs. Heywood, Mrs. Hadley, Mrs. Hemphill, Mrs. Saxton, Mrs. Whitman, Mrs. Watkins, Miss Morgan, Miss Nina Morgan, Miss Noves. Miss Teller and Miss Scul Miss Noyes, Miss Teller and Miss Scull.

The wedding of Miss Helen Steele to Ed ward Gwynne of New York will take place on March 25. Miss Steele is the great-great-granddaughter of Justice Samuel Chase, a signer of the Declaration of Independence Mr. Gwynne is the grandson of Judge John Gwynne of New York and a nephew of Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt. He is a member of the Calumet and Rockaway Hunt clubs. The young couple will go to Europe for a year immediately after the marriage. Count Hadik de Futak, the Hungarian who is doing the fairy godmother act for New York society at present, gave another of his original informal dinners last week in his rooms. After the dinner the men donned paper dominoes of various colors and joined the women guests in dancing and games, the music being furnished by a Hungarian hand.

Hungarian band. Judge and Mrs. Paul Gorham of New York are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Courtland C. Clements, 1745 18th street.

Judge and Mrs. John Davis have taken a

cottage at Newport for the coming summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Potter Palmer have taken a cottage at Newport for the coming season. The formal announcement of the engagement of Mr. Walter Scott Hobart and Miss Hannah Nell Williams was made in San Francisco last week, but is of interest here as well. The young lady who has captured the young millionaire is the youngest daughter of Capt. W. W. Williams, pay director in the United States navy, at present stationed in Washington. Miss Williams and her sister spent the past winter season with their ancle, Gen. Forsyth, U. S. A., at the Hotel Richelieu, but returned a few days ago to their home in San Rafael. They spent the summer months at Dei Monte as the guests of Gen. Forsyth, Miss Williams is one of the noted society ment of Mr. Walter Scott Hobart and Miss Miss Williams is one of the noted society belles of the present season. She is only twenty years of age and a demi-blonde. She is tall and graceful and has a particularly striking face of refined beauty. She is highly accomplished and a brilliant musician. Mr. Walter Hobart is the young prince of the fairy tale come true. He is a very centlement. prince of the fairy tale come true. He is a very gentlemanly, unassuming person, rather small, with a face of great refinement and composure. When he went to Harvard he had a suite of four rooms, comfortably furnished, with every convenience, and a faithful valet to care for him, with an income of \$20.000. with an income of \$30,000 a year. One room was given over to his clothes. Since he has come into his wealth he is famous

no has come into his wealth he is famous for his generosity, and he has made many friends. He has probably the finest stable of horses on the Pacific coast. The wedding will probably take place at no distant date. Wonderful tales of Mr. Hobart's splendid manner of spending money and his fine stables are common gossip in California. All this agreeable magnificence and prosperous money spinning takes its root prosperous money spinning takes its root in the big estate left by the late W. S. Hobart. He left two daughters and this son, Walter, who obtained his majority in March of last year. All three children then being of age, the estate was distributed in equal shares. It is away up in the millions, and Miss Williams is a very lucky young woman.

lucky young woman. Ex-Gov. and Mrs. Alexander R. Shepherd

left for Florida Saturday afternoon, and will spend several weeks at Palm Beach and Tampa Bay. Rev. Dr. and Mrs. R. H. McKim, Miss Julia Lindsley, Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Alex. Mackay-Smith, the Misses Mackay-Smith, S. R. Bond and wife, Dr. S. O. and Mrs. Richey, Mr. M. Blair and Henry S. Gane are at Virginia Beach.

Mrs. A. I. Strasburger will not be at home tomorrow. Mrs. David Decker of Staten Island is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. A. Deyo, at

Mrs. Caroline H. Dall, 1526 18th street, will be glad to see her friends Monday evenings and Friday afternoons for the remainder of the season Mr. and Mrs. Albert Relyea have moved to 1435 K street. A masquerade party was tendered Miss

Lillian Yates Thursday evening last, in henor of her birthday. Among those pres-ent were Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Vates, Mrs. Ashford, Mrs. Garnier, Misses Elizabeth and Maude De Grummond, Bessie Henrick, Alice Relly, Orilla Gessford, Fannie Carter, Lizzie and Martha Howison, Mabel Hop-kins, Edith Ashford, Luia Weaver, Emma Anderson, Annie Rush, Lola and Alice Sor-Anderson, Annie Rush, Lola and Alice Sorrell, Marie Harvey, Lillian and Albine Yates, and Bessie Ashford and Lelia Gates, and Messrs. Ross Gessford, Ross Relly, Floyd E. Davis, Edgar Moeney, Wm. R. Riddell, Wm. Hopkins, R. A. Ford, Andrew Scott, Paul Ashford, Gus Riley, Chas. Garnier, Wm. Smoot, James Locraft, John B. Yates, John Carrington Yates, Bright Handy and Mrs. Calbour, Tayle a sheeter

Mr. and Mrs. Calhoun gave a phanton party Tuesday evening last in honor of the sixteenth birthday of their daughter Lottie. Games were enjoyed, refreshments served, and in a peanut hunt Mr. Brown won the first prize and Mr. Puerner the booby. Among those present were the won the first prize and Mr. Fuerner the booby. Among those present were the Misses Maud Martin, Maggie Jackson, Cora Hough, Alice Pool, Mae Puerner, Sadie Morris, Edna Melhorn, Hattie Barnard, Kellogg, Florence Clapp, Bertie Warner, Edna Hough, Rose Evans, Hallie Chapman, Holer Wetzel Andry Schweitzer, and Helen Wetzel, Audry Schweitzer, and Messrs. Johnson, Brown, Clark, Puerner, Pool, McKinny, Evans, Morris, Ridgely, and Mr. and Mrs. Hough.

Mr. Wilson, secretary of the board of Asscelated Charities of Washington has accepted an invitation from the Legion of Loyal Women to meet with them at their hall, 419 10th street northwest, this evening for conference regarding their charity and relief work in this city.

Veteran Firemen.

A meeting of the Veteran Volunteer Firemen was held yesterday afternoon at their quarters, 19th and H streets, when appropriate action was taken regarding the death priate action was taken regarding the death of their fellow member, Mr. James V. Thompson, which occurred Friday last. It was voted to attend the funeral today in a body, and a handsome floral design was

The steamship Bermuda got off for Cuba yesterday with the biggest consignment of arms and ammunition that has left an American port since the beginning of the

BOARD OF TRADE

Two Important Subjects to Be Di

Two subjects of much importance to citizens will receive attention at the me ing of the board of trade to be held tomorrcw evening at the Bullders' Exchange, be-ginning at 7:30 o'clock—the extension of the water supply, and cheaper and better gas and electric light. After routine matters have been disposed of the floor will be taken by the committee on water supply, whose annual report submitted to the board in November last will be discussed. In addition to this, a special report from the same committee will be presented for consame committee will be presented for consideration, bearing on the subject of the urgent need of the extension of the water supply by the completion of the so-called Lydecker tunnel and Howard University reservoir, as provided for in the joint resolution now pending in Congress (S. R. No. 84). The subject will be clearly presented to the board by gentlemen well qualified to speak of the needs of the District in this respect.

respect.

The second question of the evening will be cheeper and more satisfactory light, which will come before the board in the report of the special committee on gas and electric light rates, which was laid before the board of trade in October last. In this connection the bill now before Congress (H. R. 6394) commonly known as the dollar gas bill will doubtless come in for no small share of attention, while the phase of small share of attention, while the phase of the subject involving municipal ownership of the lighting plants will also probably be touched upon to some extent.

THE WHOLE FAMILY.

Wm. Pinkney Made a Wholesale As-O sault. Emma Dobson, colored, and her son, John,

are in bed at their home, in Murray's Bottom, not far from the sixth police station, suffering from wounds on their heads, while William Pinkney, also colored, 18 charged with having inflicted the wounds. William, it is charged, was a guest of the Dobsons, where he called on a daughter of the woman, and when some objection was made to language he used there he made an effort to whip the whole family and take possession of the neighborhood. Mrs. Dobson was struck with an tron wrench, and when she had been disabled and the wrench lost, he used a pitcher on the son's head. Cries of "police" and "murder" were

heard several squares away, and the whole neighborhood was aroused.

Policeman Hayes responded to the outcry and arrested Pinkney on a charge of murderous assault. The Dobsons were sent to the hospital for treatment, and were efto the hospital for treatment, and were af-terwards sent home. Pinkney will be given a hearing when Mrs. Dobson is able to ap-

A Spring Display.

Notwithstanding the inclement weather, the spring opening of S. Kann, Sons & Co., at their handsome store, corner of 8th street end Market space, has attracted a large crowd of appreciative shoppers. In the opening a specialty is made of ladies' millinery, and there would seem to be an endless display of attractive bonnets, hats, turbans and toques, trimmed and untrimmed, of a quality and style certain to please the most fastidious taste. The rooms on the second floor, where the opening is in progress, are prettily deccrated with a pro-fusion of palms and flowers and offer a delightful contrast to the gloom and mist outside. The opening will last through tomorrow and Wednesday, and will well repay a visit from those who are interested in styles of millinery.

American Draftsmen.

Articles incorporating the Association of American Draftsmen have been filed here by W. T. Jones, Sidney I. Besseliene, Geo. P. Frothingham, W. T. Powell, A. M. P. Maschmeyer and Arthur B. Cassidy. The incorporators state that the objects of the organization are the promotion of practi-cal and scientific knowledge of mechanical drawing and matters pertaining thereto, and to discourage by lawful means the

First Anniversary.

The first anniversary of the Junior Epworth League of Epworth Methodist Episcopal Church South took place last evening at the church, corner of 7th and A streets northeast, and despite the inclement weather there was a good attendance. The exercises were in charge of the pastor, Rev. J. O. Knott; Mr. Francis B. Woodward, president of the senior league, and Miss Lizzie Hummer of the juniors assisted on the organ by Miss Bessie Pot-ter. An extremely interesting address on the progress made by the Epworth Leagues generally throughout the United States was delivered by Mr. Woodward, and remarks were also made by Mr. Knott, Mr. Elisworth and others.

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CARUANA-SCHMITT. On January 14, 1896, at the Cathedral, Baltimere, Md., by Rev. Wm. A. Reardon, E. MORTIMER CARUANA to JULIA M. SCHMITT, both of Washington,D.Q.\*

BOVEE Suddenly, Sunday, Match 15, 1896, FRANK GERVAIS, eldest son of John N. and Annie E. Bovee, gged twenty-six years. Funeral Tue sday, March 17, at 10 a.m., at 1323 G street northwest. CLARK. On Menday, March 16, 1896, at 8:15 a.m., ALFRED W. CLARK, beloved husband of Mary T. Clark, at his residence, 1836 B street north-east, aged twenty-five years, ten months and

fifteen days.

'uneral will take place on Wednesday, March 18, at 8 a.m. Priends and relatives respectfully invited to attend. one years and three months, at his residence,
339 M street southwest.

Funeral will take place from Trinity M. E. Church,
4th street southeast, on Wednesday, March 18,
at 1 o'clock p.m. Friends and relatives respectfully invited to attend.

MARTYN. Entered into rest, on Saturday, March 14, 1896, at 11:10 p.m., JOHN T. MARTYN, beloved husband of Rosa H. Martyn, in the forty-seventh year of his age.

Funcial will take place from his late residence, 238 9th street southeast, on Tuesday, March 17, at 3 p.m. Interment at Congressional cemetery.

THOMSON. On March 16, 1896, MARION B. THOMSON of Vienna, Va., mother of S. R. Thomson.

Notice of funeral later. TYLER. At Cozad, Nebraska, March 15, 1896, ARTHUR TYLER, the eldest child of Dr. W. A. Tyler and Ella K. Tyler, aged two years and nine months.

DEXTER. In loving remembrance of my dear daughter, JENNIE P. DEXTER (neo Hayes), who died two years ago today, March 16, 1894. There's grief that cannot find comfort, And wounds that cannot be healed. And sorrows so deep in the human heart That cannot be half revealed.

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